

IRONSTEAMERS TO THE HUNTER.
THE ROSE will be despatched EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 10 P.M.
AT REDUCED FARES.
JAMES PATTERSON, Secretary.
H. R. S. N. Company's Wharf.

FOR BOYD TOWN, PORT PHILLIP, AND ADELAIDE.
THE STEAM-SHIP JUNE, E. J. Kinnop, R.N., Commander, will sail for the above ports on Wednesday, the 15th October, at 5 P.M.
The June will continue to run regularly between Sydney, Boyd Town, Port Phillip, and Adelaide.

FOR KEMPSEY, M'LEAY RIVER.
THE REGULAR-TRADER, THE WATERWITCH, will sail for the above place on Saturday next, for freight or passage, apply to board.
G. BARNETT, 5148

TO BE A REGULAR TRADER.
IN PLACE OF THE BALLOON, FOR PORTLAND BAY AND PORT FAIRY, THE REGULAR-TRADER, MINERVA, 100 tons, Thomas Howland, will sail for the above ports on Saturday next, for freight or passage, apply to board, at Captain's Office, Commercial Wharf.

FOR AUCLAND.
THE BRIG MAUKIN, Captain Maikin, is now receiving cargo at Captain's Office, Commercial Wharf, and will sail on Saturday, the 15th instant.
For freight or passage apply to Captain Maikin, on board, or to J. T. ARMITAGE AND CO., Agents, King-street, September 27.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.
THE first-class, fast-sailing ship, GANGES, B. H. Bland, Commander, will sail for London on Monday next, for freight or passage, apply to the Captain, on board, or to J. T. ARMITAGE AND CO., Agents, King-street, September 27.

FOR LONDON.
THE first-class barque, LAMARCA, Captain Maikin, is now receiving cargo at Captain's Office, Commercial Wharf, and will sail on Monday next, for freight or passage, apply to the Captain, on board, or to J. T. ARMITAGE AND CO., Agents, King-street, September 27.

THE Anniversary Dinner of the True Friendship Lodge, in connection with the Anniversary of the True Friendship Lodge, will be held at the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows, on Thursday, the 21st October, when brethren and visitors are respectfully invited.

REDFERN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
The above Church will be opened for Divine Service, on Wednesday, the 27th instant.
The Rev. Dr. Ross will preach in the morning, at eleven o'clock, and the Rev. J. Ross in the evening, at seven o'clock.
On the following Sabbath, the Rev. J. Ross will preach at eleven o'clock in the morning; the Rev. N. T. Ross in the afternoon; and the Rev. J. Ross in the evening, at seven o'clock.

CONCERTS AND LECTURES AT THE SCHOOL OF ARTS.
THE FIRST CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 15th October, 1847, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE SECOND CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 22nd October, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE THIRD CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 29th October, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE FOURTH CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 5th November, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE FIFTH CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 12th November, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE SIXTH CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 19th November, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

THE SEVENTH CONCERT will take place on Friday, the 26th November, to commence at eight o'clock precisely.

CUMBERLAND AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL, AND FLORICULTURAL SOCIETY.
THE first exhibition of this Society is postponed from Wednesday, the 20th, to THURSDAY, the 21st DAY OF OCTOBER, 1847, when it will be held in the Market-place, Parramatta, as announced in former advertisements.

THE following prizes will be offered for competition, viz.:
For the best blood stallion, The large silver medal value £100.
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ART-UNION OF LONDON.
No. 4, TRAFALGAR SQUARE, CHANCERY CROSS.
(By Authority of Parliament.)
His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, VICE-PRESIDENT.
The Most Noble the Marquis of Northampton, P.R.S.
The Right Hon. the Lord Prudhoe, The Right Hon. the Lord Montagu.

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SYDNEY ART UNION.
Messrs. W. and F. FORD respectfully invite the attention of the public to their second Art Union, which will consist of ninety-five members at two guineas each. There will be ninety-five prizes, varying in value from one to twenty-five guineas.

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DISMANTLING OF PARTNERSHIP.
SAMUEL ROBINSON, previously residing in England, most respectfully acknowledges the many favours conferred by his personal friends and numerous patrons of the late firm, and would ask on behalf of M. Holroyd, a continuance of that support which they, R. and H. made it their study to merit.

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FRENCH STAY WAREHOUSE.
311, FIVE-STAY, SYDNEY.
VICTOR FROTOIS has most respectfully to inform the public generally, that he has just received a choice and select assortment of new goods, consisting of Spring and summer dresses, of all textures and qualities, viz.:

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persons shall in no case prejudice, interrupt, or interfere, with the right of the Governor or other officer for the time being administering the government of the said colony to enter upon any of the lands comprised in the said lease, and to take possession thereof, and to improve, cultivate, and otherwise enjoy, improvement, convenience, utility, or enjoyment, agreeably to the provisions for those purposes contained in the 9th section of the second chapter of this Order in Council, or otherwise.

Sec. 2.—The rent to be paid for each several run of land shall be proportioned to the number of sheep or equivalent number of cattle which the run shall be estimated as being capable of carrying; and the scale of value established for the purpose, by authority of the Governor. Each run shall be capable of carrying, at least, four thousand sheep or equivalent number of cattle, according to the scale above mentioned; and if the number of sheep or cattle which it can carry exceeds that number ten pounds per annum, to which two pounds ten shillings per annum shall be added for every additional thousand sheep, or equivalent number of cattle, which the run shall be estimated to be capable of carrying.

Sec. 3.—In order to estimate the number of sheep or cattle which each run will carry, before the granting of the said lease as hereinbefore mentioned, the intended lessee or occupier of such run shall be required to furnish to the Crown lands shall either act as valuer, or name one to act for him; and these two valuers shall have power to choose, if they see fit, an umpire; but if they cannot agree as to the value of the run, the same shall be determined by the Governor, or the officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony.

Sec. 4.—The rents to be paid according to the scale above mentioned, and to be secured exclusively of any existing assessments of taxes or rates on sheep and cattle, and are to be paid without abatement on account of the existing or any future assessments of taxes or rates on land, and shall be payable by the tenant with the right of the colonial legislature to impose from time to time such assessments as may be deemed advisable.

Sec. 5.—The rent for each run shall be payable at intervals of six months, and the place as shall be respectively specified in the lease of the said run of land. In the event of default being made in payment of the rent, the lease shall nevertheless remain in force, but shall be permitted to defect the forfeiture, and prevent its becoming absolute and indefeasible, by payment, within sixty days from the date of the original rent day, of the full annual rent, with interest thereon at the rate of five per cent. part of the yearly rent so due from him by way of penalty; but unless the whole of the said yearly rent, with such penalty as aforesaid, shall be duly paid within the term of sixty days after the expiration of the term of grace inclusive, the lease shall be absolutely and indefeasibly forfeited. And it shall be competent to any individual to demand of the Governor, or of the officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony, that a fresh lease of the run so forfeited be offered to sale, under the general rule hereinafter provided for that purpose.

Sec. 6.—During the continuance of any lease of lands occupied as a run, the same shall not be open to purchase by any other person or persons except the lessee thereof. But it shall nevertheless be competent to the Governor, or the time being administering the Government of the said colony, to sell to such lessee any of the lands comprised in the lease granted to such lessee, provided that the quantity of such lands so sold to the lessee shall not be less than one hundred and sixty acres, and that the price to be paid for the same shall not be below the general minimum price of one pound for each acre. Provided that, where the portion so sold forms a run sold at such price shall be less in extent than three hundred and twenty acres, the expenses of the survey of the portion so sold shall be paid by the purchaser.

Sec. 7.—Every lease of land under the provisions hereof mentioned shall be subject to the following conditions :—

First—Each lot must be rectangular, unless the features of the country, or the course of any river or stream, render a deviation from the rectangle necessary; and the boundaries between two sides at least of the lot must be directed to the cardinal points of the compass.

Second—The two opposite sides of any stream or watercourse which, according to the regulations of the said colony, shall be reserved as a common right of way, shall be directed to form a boundary between different sections or lots, shall in no case be included in the single lot.

Third—No single lot shall have more than four hundred and forty yards of water frontage along the banks of any river or stream, or more than a like proportion of water frontage for any quantity greater than one hundred and sixty acres, but the water frontage shall be reckoned according to the straight line, and not according to the windings of the water-course or river; and the Governor or officer for the time being administering the government of the said colony, shall have the right to cause where it may appear to him that the sale of such lot or lots respectively, might give an undue command over water required for the beneficial occupation and use of the said lot or lots, to reserve either side of any stream or watercourse.

Sec. 8.—It shall be lawful for the Governor or officer for the time being administering the government of the said colony, to allow any person, firm, or company, who has purchased all such lands or sales as aforesaid, all such lands or sales as it may appear to him expedient to reserve for any of the public uses for which it is enacted by the third clause of the Act in relation to the title heretofore recited.

An Act for regulating the sale of waste lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian colonies, that lands required for public uses may be excepted from sale, and that, in the exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, the Governor or officer for the time being administering the government of the said colony, may require any officer authorised by him for the purpose, may require the holder of such lands, or the owner thereof, in manner provided in section 8 of the second chapter of this Order in Council, in order that the value, if estimated by them, or their umpire at more than one pound per acre, the highest amount may be paid for such lands respectively.

Section 9.—That nothing in these regulations, or in any lease to be granted under the powers hereby vested in the Governor, shall prevent the said Governor or officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony, from making grants or sales of any lands within the limits of the run or lands comprised in such lease, for public purposes, or for private sale, and that, in the exercise of the powers so conferred, such lands as may be required for the sites of churches, schools, or parsonages, or for the construction of high roads or railways, and railway stations, or for internal communication, or for the benefit of the aboriginal inhabitants of the country, or for public buildings, or as places for the interment of the dead, or places for the recreation and amusement of the people, or for the sites of public quays, or landing places on the sea coast or shores of navigable streams, or for the purpose of sinking shafts and digging for coals, iron, copper, lead, or other minerals, or iron, or copper, lead, or other minerals, or for any other purpose of public defence, safety, utility, convenience, or enjoyment, or for other objects of the colony, but that the quantity of land which may be granted or sold to any railway company shall not exceed in all the rate of one hundred acres for every mile thereof in length exceeding ten miles.

Sec. 10.—That in the case of any lands lying contiguous to, or near to the districts comprising unsettled lands, all lands within the distance of two miles from that railroad shall, notwithstanding any lease, be situated, run within which such district is enclosed, year within year at the end of each successive year from the date of the said lease; provided that at least sixty days previous notice shall have been given to the lessee, and so that such

shall be entitled to all the same conditions relating to the previous leasee the right of pre-emption, and the value of improvements as are hereinafter mentioned, with reference to the case of a sale at the expiration of the full term of such lease.

Section 13.—All the holders of Crown lands who shall have been in licensed occupation of the same for at least one year at the time when this Order in Council shall come into effect, are to be entitled to demand leases of their respective lands, under the present regulations, within six months after the publication of this Order in Council by the Governor or other officer administering the Government of the said colony, but not afterwards; and all persons who shall have been in licensed occupation of their lands for a shorter period than a term of one year, shall be entitled, upon the expiration of the same term of one year, without having forfeited their respective licenses, to demand leases of their respective runs under the regulations hereinafter contained, and such lease shall be lawfully demanded within six months after the expiration of the said term of one year, but not afterwards.

Section 14.—When any person, having been occupied, shall be forfeited, or become vacant without the previous occupant having exercised his right of renewal hereinafter reserved, it shall be competent for any person desiring to occupy the same, to apply to the land to give notice to the Governor or officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony, of his, her, or their desire to purchase anew the lease of such run of lands, and to receive the same, by notice to the Governor or officer administering the Government of the said colony, shall direct sealed tenders to be sent in at such time and place, and in such form as he shall think fit, by the person giving such notice, or by any other person or persons (if any) as may be disposed to enter into competition for the said lease; and every tender so to be made shall state the term of years for which it is proposed to take the said lease, run, and the amount of the minimum rents required agreeably to the provisions contained in sections 2 and 3 of the second chapter of this Order in Council; and it is proposed to offer any, and if any, such amount of premium for the lease; and the said tender or tenders shall be opened in the presence of two or more persons authorised by the Governor or officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony for that purpose, and if there shall be more than one tender, the tenders shall be opened at the same time, and if there shall be only one tender, the lease of the run shall be given to the person who shall have offered the tender, provided the rent offered shall be admissible under the provisions contained in sections 2 and 3 of this chapter of the Order in Council; but if there shall be more competitors than one, the person or persons who shall offer the highest amount of premium for the same; but if two or more tenders shall be made for the same run and no one of them be higher than all the rest, a second round of tenders shall be called, and who open the tenders, on which day it shall again be competent to all persons to offer fresh tenders in the same manner as hereinbefore provided in regard to the first tenders.

Section 15.—If, after the expiration of the time required to be observed by the provisions to acquire a new run of land which has never been occupied before, he shall be at liberty to send in a sealed tender, at such time and place, and in such form as he shall think fit, by the Governor or officer administering the Government of the said colony, for receiving tenders for new runs, and shall set forth in his tender a clear description of the run for which he applies, and shall state the price for the same, and shall state whether, beyond the amount of premium ascertained as hereinbefore provided, he is willing to offer any, and if any, what amount of premium for the lease, and such tenders shall be opened at the same time and place as hereinbefore provided in section twelve of the present Order in Council for tenders for runs, which have been forfeited or fallen vacant, save and except that if it shall occur that two or more persons have offered tenders for the same run, of which part of one run would include part of another, or another run, the Governor or officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony, or the person or persons authorised by him in this behalf, shall declare what shall be the several runs to which it shall be competent to parties to tender, and another day shall then be named at which the previous applicants, and all other persons who may wish to offer fresh tenders for the runs so delivered.

Section 14.—A lease shall be liable to forfeiture in three modes:—

First.—It shall be forfeited for non-payment of rent, as provided in section 5 of the 2nd chapter of this Order in Council.

Second.—It shall be forfeited absolutely, immediately upon any conviction for felony against the leasee; and

Third.—If, after his conviction by a Justice of the district for any offence against the law, the case may be enquired into within three months after the conviction by two or more persons, who, in their own behalf, may adjudge the lease to be forfeited, and award compensation for the value of the improvements, according to the nature of the offence: Provided always, that no such adjudication shall be pronounced by the Justices, who, taking the same into consideration, shall take the same into consideration, and the Governor or officer administering the Government of the said colony.

Section 15.—Upon the expiration of a lease, it shall be competent to the Governor or officer administering the Government of the said colony, to put up all or any part of the lands included in a run for sale, subject to the following conditions:—

First.—If the leasee, or his heirs, shall have the option of purchasing the land for its full value in an unimproved state, which shall never be estimated at less than £1 per acre.

Second.—If declined by the previous lessee, the person or persons who may wish to offer for sale shall be ascertained by valuers appointed under the provisions contained in section 3 of the second chapter of this Order in Council: Provided nevertheless, that the value of the improvements shall be estimated at no less than the amount of the actual outlay made by the lessee.

Third.—The upset price shall then consist of the joint value of the land and the improvements, and if the land be sold, the amount of the improvements shall be retained by the previous lessee, and only the balance be retained by the government.

Section 16.—If no part of the run be sold, the previous lessee shall be entitled to a renewal of the lease of the whole, or if any part of the run be sold, the previous lessee shall be entitled to a renewal of the lease for the remaining parts of the lands comprised in his run, subject to the reservation of an increased rent described by the provisions of the second chapter of these rules and regulations; and provided, nevertheless, that the boundaries of the different classes of land in the colony shall not in the mean while have been so far extended as to render the boundaries of the said class of lands; and provided also, that if brought within the class of intermediate lands, the lessee shall only obtain a renewed lease of the said lands, and the run hereinafter laid down as applicable to the said class of lands.

Section 18.—The rent of every lease of a run of land, after the expiration of the first lease granted under this Order in Council, is to be paid by the lessee upon the number of sheep and cattle which the run is estimated to carry in the improved, instead of its unimproved state, in the same manner as provided for in section 3 of the second chapter of this Order in Council, and as an encouragement to improve the lease, and as an encouragement to be exempt from paying any increase beyond fifty per cent. upon the amount of rent reserved under the expired lease.

Chapter III.
RULES APPLICABLE TO INTERMEDIATE LANDS.

Section 1.—Within lands coming under the description of intermediate lands the interest in such lands shall be held by the Governor or officer administering the same terms and conditions as above laid down for unsettled lands, excepting that the leases shall not be made for more than eight years in duration, and that at the end of each year the lessee shall be at liberty to renew the lease, it shall be competent for the Governor or officer for the time being administering the Government of the said colony, provided he shall have given sixty days

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erection of a church in connection with the
rch of Scotland, at Richmond; and which
e been lately acknowledged by George
wson, Esq., as Treasurer, to be still in the
possession of the church, and appropriated; and the
Presbytery of Winton were instructed to make
inquiry on the subject, and to have these
scriptions used for the purpose for which
they were given.

The Moderator detailed the particulars
of a correspondence which he had with the
congregation, relative to the establishment of
Presbyterian Orphan School, and the Synod
joined the present Moderator to press the
cause of the Orphan School in the Government, and to
port at next meeting.

October 11th. St. Andrew's, Scots Church.
After reading the minutes of the last meet-
ing, a lengthened conversation took place re-
lative to the proposed Orphan School at New-
castle, during which Mr. Stewart, the
present minister of that congregation, stated
his conviction that his services might be more
profitably employed in another locality; and
the Information Committee, after some com-
munications connected with Newcastle into con-
sideration, resolved to instruct the Presbytery
at Maidland to dissolve the connexion at pre-
sent existing between Mr. Stewart and the
Orphan School, and to direct the Presbytery
to be necessary to do so.

The Moderator stated that the next subject
for consideration was the propriety of changing
the present designation of the Synod.

The Rev. Mr. Stewart then read the BLAIN
seconded it,—"That the present designation
of the Synod be changed."

Mr. ARCHIBOLD moved, and Mr. STEWART
seconded an amendment,—"That it be in-
sistent in the Synod to change the designa-
tion of the Synod."

The roll was called, and the amendment
carried, Mr. Smythe and Mr. Blain assent-
ing to the resolution.

From this decision Mr. Smythe and Mr.
Blain dissented, for reasons to be given in due
time.

The Synod was then closed with prayer.

CITY COUNCIL.

MEETING of the Council of the City of Syd-
ney will be held at the Town Hall, on Tues-
day next, the 19th instant, at three o'clock in
the afternoon.

BY COUNCIL OF MOTION.

By OFFICER DEAN.—
That the proper notice be given by this
Council to the Gas Company that they will
be no longer required to light the city with
gas, and to discontinue the Corporation.

By Alderman LITTLE.—
That the Council do go into Committee
for the purpose of considering the By-Law
for regulating Hackney Carriages and other
vehicles in the City of Sydney.

By Alderman LITTLE.—
That the Resolution of Council of date 9th
February, 1847, adopting the Reports of
the respective Ward Assessment Commis-
sioners on the valuation of all new and ad-
ditional buildings in the city, as far as relates
to the assessment on Mr. Edrop's five
houses in King-street, be rescinded; and
in lieu thereof the assessment on the
said houses be reduced from £60 to
£30 each.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

To consider the business standing over,
of which notice has been given—viz.
The petition of the Messrs. Collectors for
distress warrants against all defaulters
in the payment of city rates for the half
year ended 30th June last.

To consider the Colonial Secretary's letter,
dated 14th September last, stating that the
Governor rejects that the state of the
revenue of the colony precludes his surren-
dering any part off to the Council, or other-
wise aiding them for constructing under-
ground drains.

To consider the Report of the Improvement
Committee on the obstruction caused by the
Dock Yard wall in George-street North—
to be reported by the Council on the 11th October
instant.

To consider a letter from the City Solicitor,
of date 11th October, transmitting opinion
of counsel on the subject of the obstructions
in Goulburn-street.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION
THIS DAY.

IS. R. FAWCETT.—At his Rooms, at 11
o'clock, Glassware, damaged Starch and
Blue.

IS. J. G. CORRIE.—At his Rooms, at 11
o'clock, Groceries, Shoe Thread, Broom
heads, Salmos, Matches, Sticks, Mats, Ink,
&c.

IS. AMSTERDAM.—At his Rooms, at 12 o'clock,
an Entire Horse and several Hacks.

IS. C. NEWTON.—At his Rooms, at 11
o'clock, Summer Goods, Shawls, Panama
&c.

IS. S. SOLOMONS.—At his Rooms, Looking
Glasses and sundries.

IS. STUBBS.—At the Residence of Mr. J.
H. Roche, 316, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock,
a quantity of new Stock-in-Trade of a
Tobaccoist, and sundries.

IS. W. G. MOORE.—At the Hibernian Print-
ing Office, King-street, this evening, Prints,
Stationery, Maps, &c.

DIED.

On Tuesday, the 12th instant, Mr. F. W.
Montgomery, of the Supreme Court Office, in
consequence of having taken an over dose of
russic acid whilst suffering from a spasmodic
cure of the lungs, aged 34 years.

On the 12th inst. died, Mrs. Elizabeth Heatlie,
widest son of Mr. Archibald Campbell, Ac-
countant, aged 19.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.—A meeting of the
electors and others interested in the represen-
tation of the City of Sydney, for the purpose
as held last night, at the Saracen's Head Inn,
and Sussex streets, for the purpose of
nominating some gentlemen in nomination to repre-
sent the Ward. About twenty persons at-
tended, and the following gentlemen were pro-
posed and seconded as proper persons to repre-
sent at the Ward—Mr. W. H. Thorne, of King-
street, cabinet-maker; Mr. Gregory Board,
of Market-street, publican; and Mr. Henry Tho-
mas, of King-street, undertaker. The latter
gentleman was the only one of the nominees
present, and he declared his readiness to accept
the office if elected, and would, if returned,
endeavour to perform the duties with honesty
and independence.

It was pledged to no candidate for the ma-
jority or for any office in the Council. On
the names being put to the meeting, the show
of hands was declared in favour of Mr. Board.
To further steps were taken to secure the elec-
tion of any of the candidates.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, REDFERN.—The
evening services of this Church are fixed to
take place on Wednesday, the 27th instant,
at 7 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Wines will preach in the
morning, and the Rev. Joseph Beazley in the
evening.

THE WEATHER.—We were favoured in
Sydney with a few light showers late in the
evening of Wednesday, and early on Thursday
morning. The sun shone brightly on Thurs-
day, but by daylight it had cleared up, and
a rain-clouds were blown away. Although
a quantity of rain that fell was inconceivable,
the sun was declared a most refreshing effect upon the
streets and gardens in the neighbourhood
of the city.

MUNICIPAL DONATION.—The Rev. W. H.
Blain has received a donation of £500 towards
the erection of a new school about to be com-
menced at Redfern. We would recommend
the making of a gift of an equal amount having
taken place in the colony. The name of the
generous donor has not been transmitted.

THE MINE.—A gentleman who has been
recently received in Sydney from a gentleman
residing near the locality of the mine, states
that on two shafts have been opened, and that the
miners have arrived at lodges which are as rich
any other place. The present report is that the
miners are working in a perfect "cobweb"
cooper. A gentleman well acquainted with
the mines of South Australia considers the
colony one as equal in richness to the most
productive of the world. The gentleman alluded
to on a beautifully fertile agricultural land,
and already the foundations are laid of what
commences to be an extensive township. Equally
good news is that a road has been discovered,
which will connect the present route with the
head of the Macdonald River can be saved.

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study on suspicion of having stolen them. —
same that were sent from their premises.
woman Douglas will be examined on the
charge this morning.

HOUSE BURNS DRAKEBURY.—Mr. Charles Newton has
been directed to direct the attention of the trade and
retailers to his sale of cheap goods, and to be con-
sidered every article in demand for the approaching
winter, which will be sold without the least re-
sistance. —Communicated.

NEWS FROM THE INTERIOR.
(From our Correspondent.)

PARRAMATTA.—Three persons, respectively
—TOP-LIFTING. —Three persons, respectively
Kelly, Rogan, and Willings, the two
former bond females, the first of whom is as-
signed for her husband, the male prisoner Wil-
lings, the latter to Mrs. Dickinson, of this
—were yesterday (Thursday) committed
trial for this offence. It appeared that on
Saturday week the three prisoners went into
shop of Mr. Hilton Shackles, of Church-
—and after occupying some time by en-
gaging for and inspecting some goods, they
were rejected for their unsuitableness;
ally, some trifling purchases were made.
they were about to leave the shop, Mr.
—and after saying a friend, who drove
to the door in a gig, and who, in his
absence which did not exceed three
minutes, the prisoners left. Shortly after
—Mr. S. missed from the counter a
—of value of nearly £100, which, which
retail article had been inspected by the constable
—Information was given to the police,
—and Kelly being the only person Mr. S. knew;
—residence, at the estate of Mr. Nelson
—where he had been serving, his husband
—was visited; but none of the
—being property was found, and therefore no
—stature was made; but Kelly having in-
—into town, and got most heavily intox-
—ated, she was in the morning brought
—the watchhouse; and some subsequent in-
—formation being obtained, her husband and the
—second female Rogan were apprehended; and
—the first of the female named Norton was
—obtained, that some few days before the robbery,
—sally was at her hut, and had on her a shawl,
—description of which exactly answered that
—one lost by Mr. Shackles; and that on the
—previous day (Kelly's) husband, in re-
—ference to some remark made by her, allu-
—sion to its elegance, facetiously remarked, that
—he loved it was the first time it had ever been
—worn; and then alluded to the police visit of
—the vicinity, and the constable at the circum-
—stance of the constables failing to find the
—on his wife's back. This, however, appears,
—on what subsequently transpired, to have
—been a mere piece of braggadochio. Before the
—trial, Mr. Willings had protested his in-
—nocence, which Kelly supported by averring
—that she was the guilty party, and had taken the
—property unperceived by and unknown to her
—husband and friend. The Bench, however,
—found the veracity of the latter to be un-
—der the Quarter Sessions. Within an hour
—of the prisoner's commitment, the shawl and one of
—her dresses was found in a dunghap, at the
—residence of her mistress; and thereupon
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(From the Mailand Mercury.)

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—deliberately to the death. The boy, it ap-
—peared he was yet alive, and roasted him over a
—fire; afterwards cutting up his body in pieces,
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—murder in cold blood committed in that dis-
—trict since July last, by these rascals, and yet
—steps are being taken to punish the perpe-
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